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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 03495.0004-04

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Luc MONTAGNIER et al.) Group Art Unit: 1648
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Application No.: 08/067,148) Examiner: J. PARKIN
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Filed: May 26, 1993) Notice of Allowance Dated: 10/13/2005
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) Confirmation No.: 5174

For: ANTIBODIES WHICH BIND WITH PROTEINS OF HUMAN
IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS TYPE 1 (HIV-1), AND IMMUNE
COMPLEXES COMPRISING PROTEINS OF HIV-1 (As Amended)

Mail Stop Issue Fee
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In response to the Office Action dated January 18, 2006, the period for response to which has been extended by filing a petition for extension of time and fee herewith, applicants submit the following:

1. Petition for Extension of Time (1 page) and fee.
2. Amendment and Response (4 pages).
3. Submission of Replacement Drawings (2 pges) w/5 Sheets of Replacement Drawings (Figs. 1, 2A, 2B, 3, 4A, and 4B).
4. \$120 Check for One-Month Extension Fee.

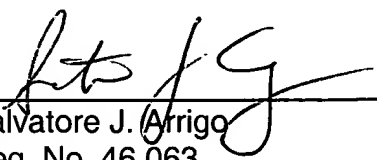
Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this paper and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: March 16, 2005

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SUBMISSION OF REPLACEMENT DRAWINGS

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please replace the drawings in the above-identified application with the 5 sheets figures (four sheets of which are black and white photographs) filed herewith (Figures 1, 2A, 2B, 3, 4A, and 4B). If the replacement drawings for any reason are not in full compliance with the pertinent statutes and regulations, please so advise the undersigned.

If any fees are necessary for the submission of these drawings, please charge
our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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